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TO AMEMBASSY ABU DHABI

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FOLLOWING TEL SENT ACTION SECSTATE INFO RIYADH FROM JIDDA
MARCH 14:

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SUBJECT: IRANIAN THREAT TO UAE

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1. DURING MARCH 13 MEETING WITH FOREIGN MINISTER PRINCE SAUD,
AMBASSADOR SAID CROWN PRINCE FAHD HAD ASKED AGAIN ABOUT
IRANIAN THREATS AGAINST UAE (REFTEL B). AMBASSADOR SAID USG
KNOWS SERIOUSNESS WHICH SAG PLACES ON QUESTION. HE SAID WE
HAD LOOKED CAREFULLY INTO MATTER AND DO NOT SEE ANYTHING IN NATURE

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OF SERIOUS THREAT. WHILE U.S. UNDERSTANDS SAG MUST TAKE
SERIOUSLY STATEMENTS FROM OFFICIAL SOURCES, WE VIEW SUCH
STATEMENTS AS NOTHING MORE THAN GRUMBLINGS AND COMPLAINTS
ABOUT DEVELOPMENTS IN AREA. IN SUMMARY, CONSIDERING ALL
ASPECTS OF MATTER AND SITUATION IN IRAN, WE SEE NO REASON FOR
SAUDIS TO BE UNEASY. AMBASSADOR SAID WE WOULD KEEP
SITUATION UNDER REVIEW.

2. FOREIGN MINISTER HAD NO COMMENT. PORTER UNQUOTE VANCE

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